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PRELIMINARY RECOMMENDATIONS: SUN CITY FESTIVAL

Recommendation	Catalyst	Impact(s)	Priority
Create local volunteer driver program	Focus groups	Improved access to key activity centers in Sun City Festival and Surprise	Near-term
Provide limited express service from Sun City Festival and Surprise	Focus groups	Builds upon volunteer driver program to provide regular service between Sun City Festival and Surprise	Long-term

- Focus group participants indicated a desire to access activity centers throughout the region, including downtown Phoenix, Arrowhead Towne Center, Sky Harbor Airport, Scottsdale, and area healthcare facilities.
- Community survey respondents indicated most of their current trips are less than five miles in length.
- The geographical location of Sun City Festival and the community's relatively modest population make fixed-route service impractical at this time.
- A volunteer driver program sponsored by Sun City Festival would facilitate access to key activity centers (both locally and in Surprise) at a much lower cost than traditional transit service.
- If sufficient demand exists for the volunteer driver program, a scheduled shuttle service between Sun City Festival and Surprise could be implemented at some point in the future.

